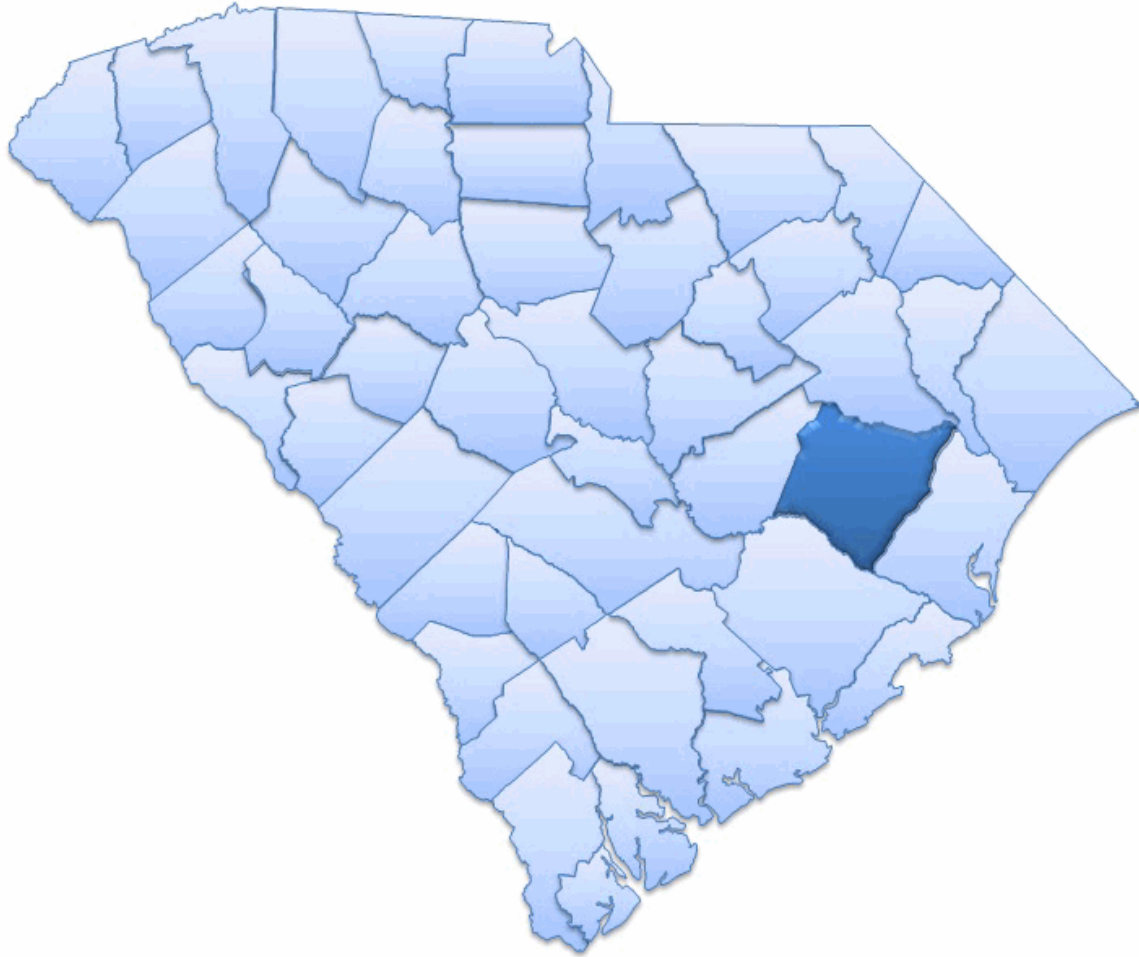


# COMMUNITY *Profile*

## Williamsburg County



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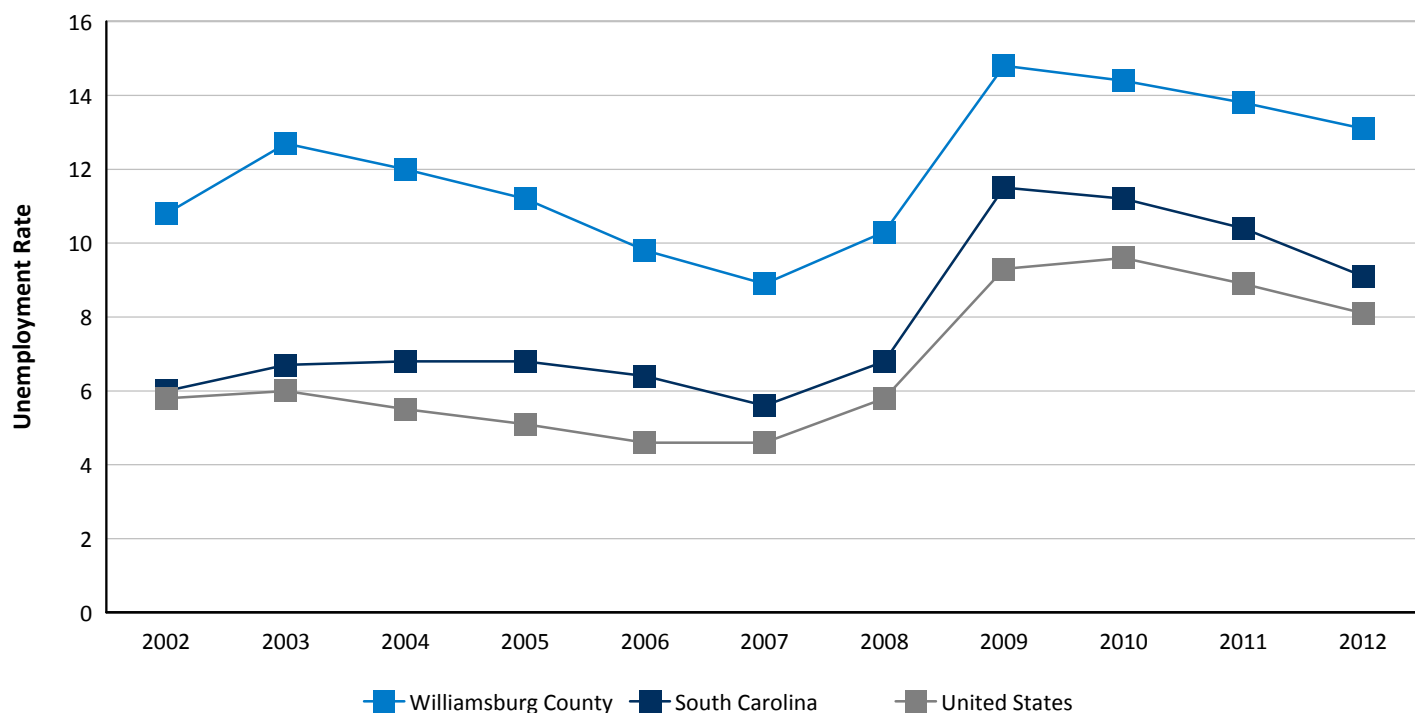
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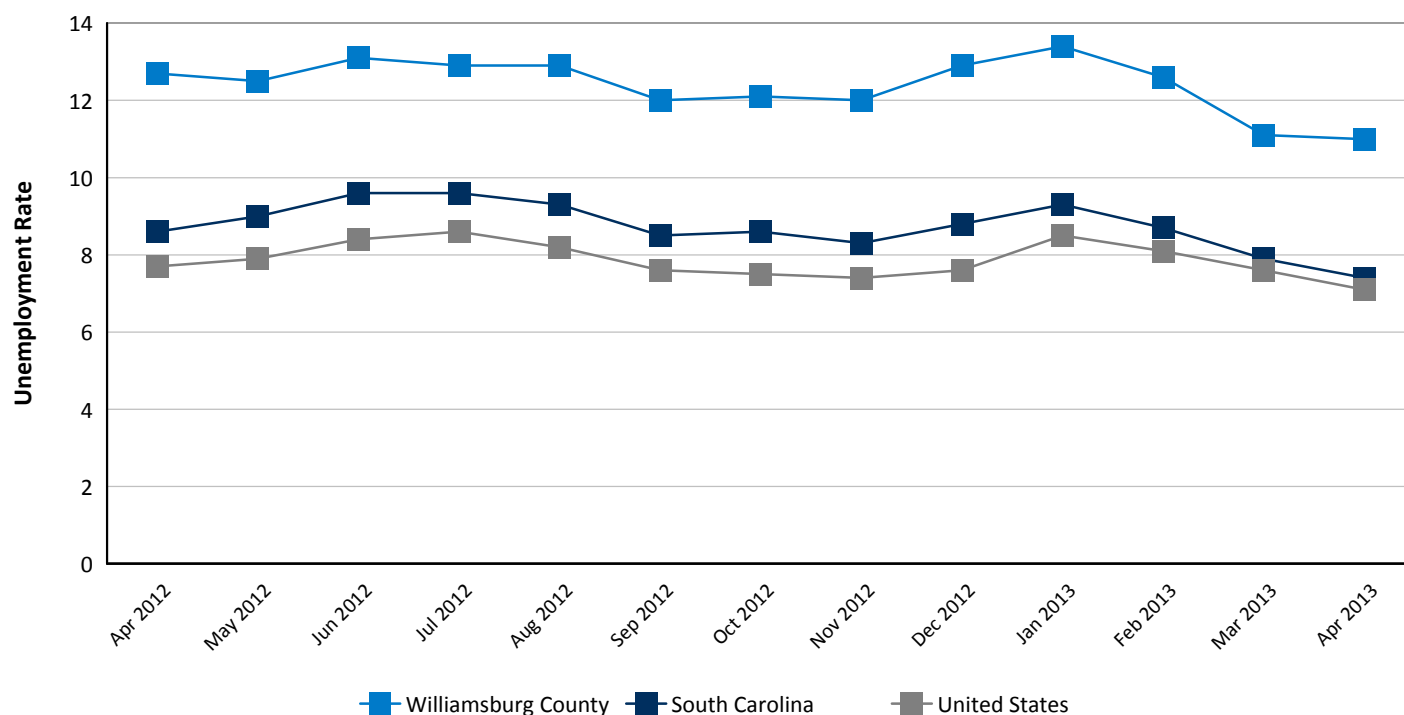


Williamsburg County				South Carolina			United States		
Year	Employment	Unemp.	Rate	Employment	Unemp.	Rate	Employment	Unemp.	Rate
2012	12,866	1,936	13.1	1,970,112	197,083	9.1	142,469,000	12,506,000	8.1
2011	13,602	2,172	13.8	1,941,654	225,657	10.4	139,869,000	13,747,000	8.9
2010	13,627	2,291	14.4	1,917,747	241,452	11.2	139,064,000	14,825,000	9.6
2009	13,539	2,350	14.8	1,908,839	246,945	11.5	139,877,000	14,265,000	9.3
2008	13,849	1,592	10.3	1,998,368	144,925	6.8	145,362,000	8,924,000	5.8
2007	13,917	1,361	8.9	2,010,252	119,068	5.6	146,047,000	7,078,000	4.6
2006	14,102	1,533	9.8	1,970,912	134,123	6.4	144,427,000	7,001,000	4.6
2005	13,795	1,744	11.2	1,922,367	139,983	6.8	141,730,000	7,591,000	5.1
2004	13,280	1,813	12.0	1,888,050	138,430	6.8	139,252,000	8,149,000	5.5
2003	13,535	1,973	12.7	1,854,419	133,257	6.7	137,736,000	8,774,000	6.0
2002	13,187	1,604	10.8	1,826,240	115,907	6.0	136,485,000	8,378,000	5.8

Source: S.C. Department of Employment &amp; Workforce

## Monthly Unemployment Rates (Unadjusted)

Past 13 Months



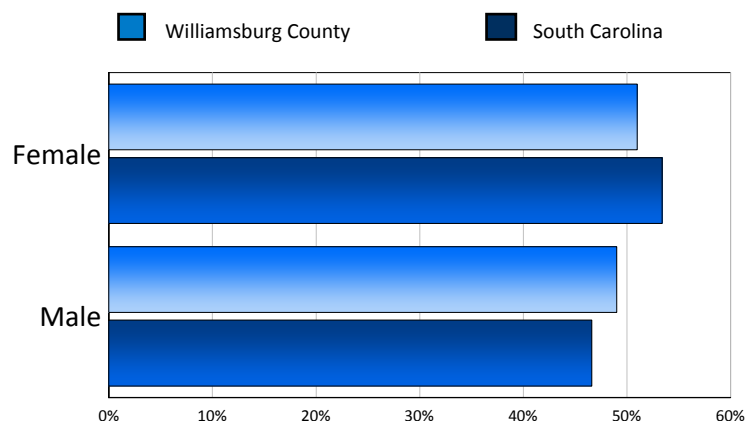
Period	Williamsburg County	South Carolina	United States
Apr 2013	11.0	7.4	7.1
Mar 2013	11.1	7.9	7.6
Feb 2013	12.6	8.7	8.1
Jan 2013	13.4	9.3	8.5
Dec 2012	12.9	8.8	7.6
Nov 2012	12.0	8.3	7.4
Oct 2012	12.1	8.6	7.5
Sep 2012	12.0	8.5	7.6
Aug 2012	12.9	9.3	8.2
Jul 2012	12.9	9.6	8.6
Jun 2012	13.1	9.6	8.4
May 2012	12.5	9.0	7.9
Apr 2012	12.7	8.6	7.7

Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce

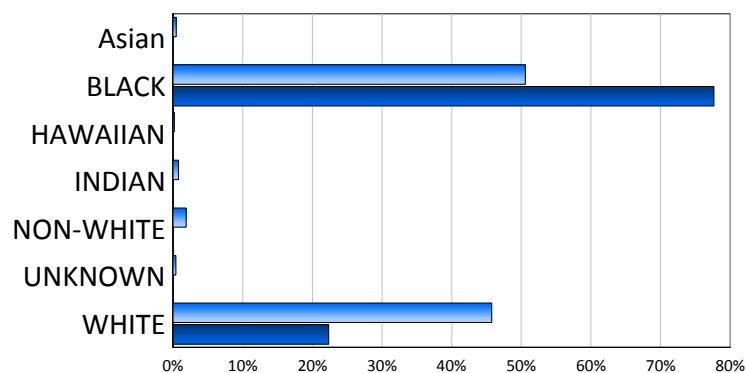
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April 2013

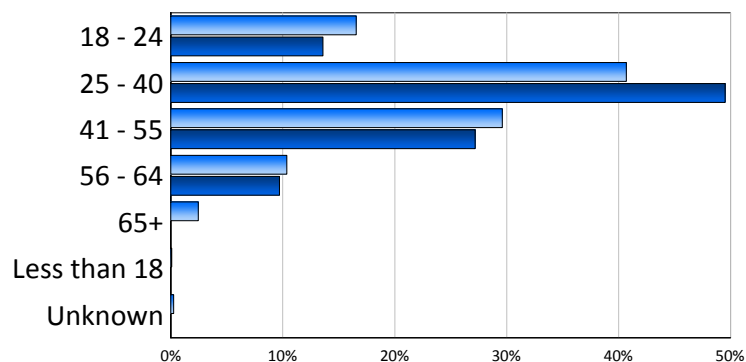
Gender	Williamsburg County	South Carolina
Female	55	7,608
Male	48	7,314



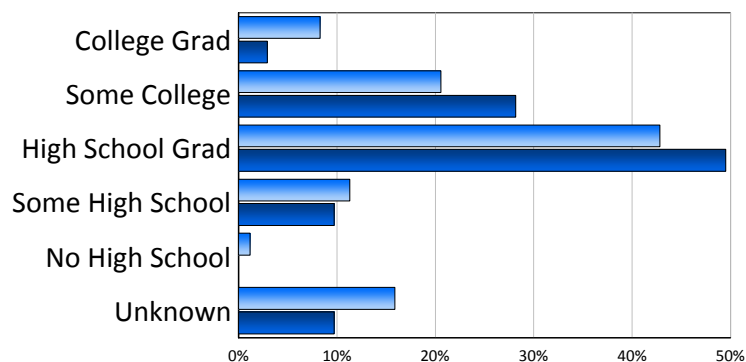
Race	Williamsburg County	South Carolina
Asian	0	69
BLACK	80	7,549
WHITE	23	6,825



Age Group	Williamsburg County	South Carolina
18 - 24	14	2,471
25 - 40	51	6,072
41 - 55	28	4,417
56 - 64	10	1,545
Unknown	0	366
Less than 18	0	13
Unknown	0	38



Education	Williamsburg County	South Carolina
College Grad	3	1,235
Some College	29	3,068
High School Grad	51	6,389
Some High School	10	1,685
No High School	0	173
Unknown	10	2,372

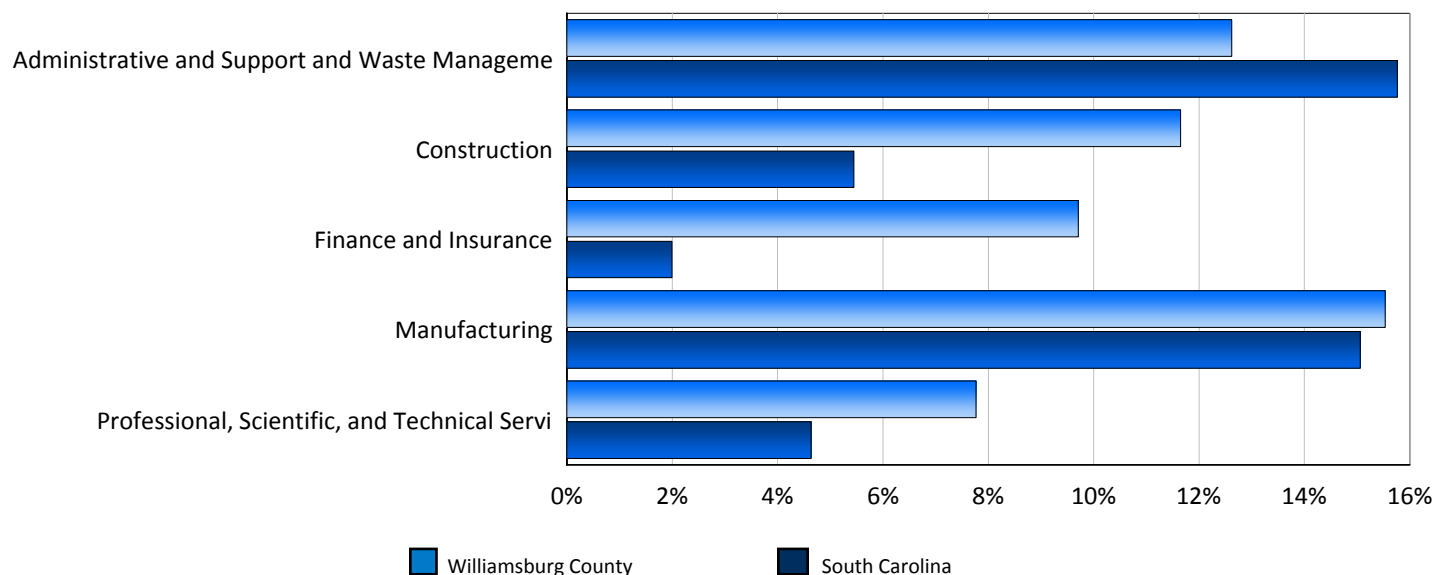


Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce

# Characteristics of Unemployment Insurance Claims by Industry

Industry Groups With Largest Number of Claims

April 2013



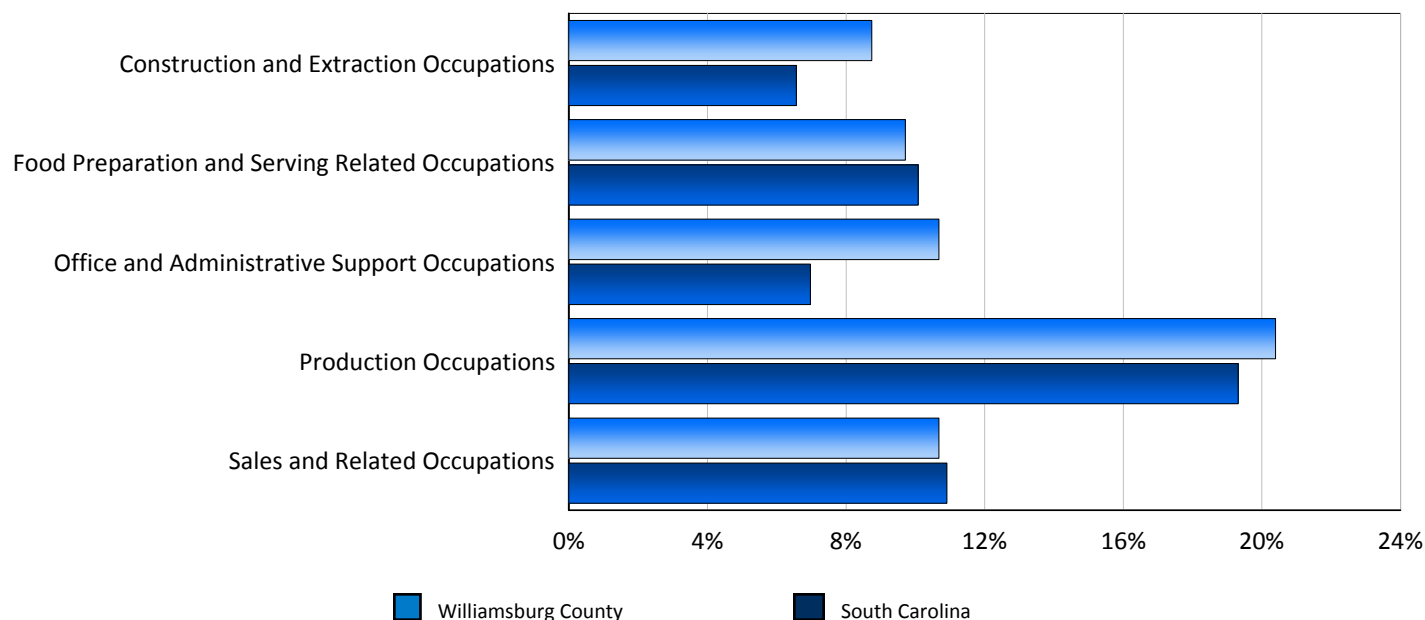
Industry	Williamsburg County	South Carolina
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	6	98
Utilities	1	22
Construction	12	820
Manufacturing	16	2,267
Wholesale Trade	1	445
Retail Trade	7	1,616
Transportation and Warehousing	1	414
Finance and Insurance	10	300
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	8	698
Administrative and Support and Waste Management	13	2,373
Health Care and Social Assistance	6	1,076
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	1	94
Accommodation and Food Services	8	1,321
Other Services (except Public Administration)	2	292
Public Administration	1	206
Unknown	10	2,410

Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce

# Characteristics of Unemployment Insurance Claims by Occupation

*Occupation Groups With Largest Number of Claims*

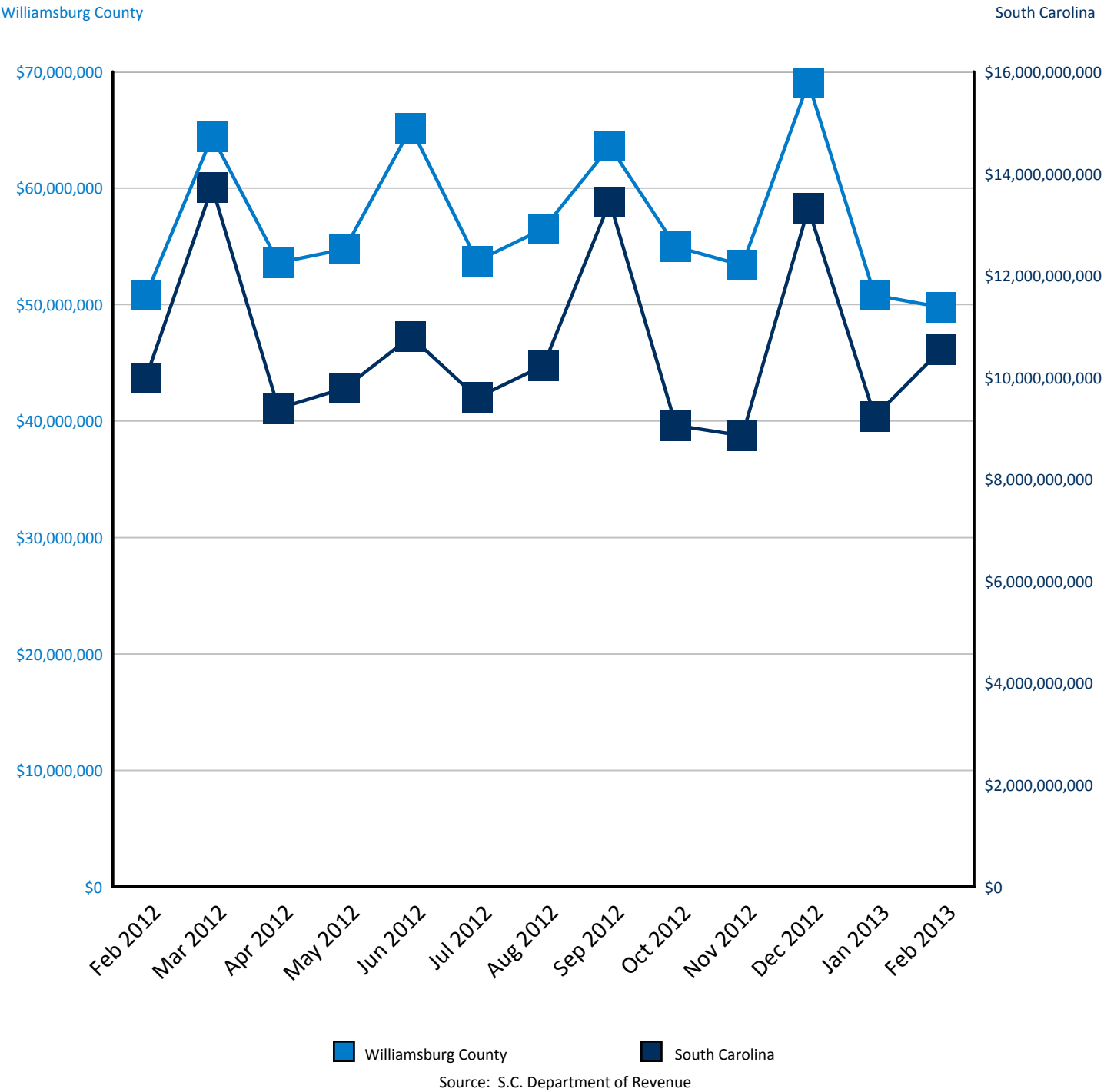
*April 2013*



<u>Occupation</u>	<u>Williamsburg County</u>	<u>South Carolina</u>
Architecture and Engineering Occupations	1	155
Building and Grounds Cleaning and Maintenance Occu	5	557
Business and Financial Operations Occupations	3	439
Community and Social Service Occupations	1	109
Computer and Mathematical Occupations	1	163
Construction and Extraction Occupations	9	988
Education, Training, and Library Occupations	2	209
Farming, Fishing, and Forestry Occupations	1	83
Food Preparation and Serving Related Occupations	10	1,517
Healthcare Practitioners and Technical Occupations	1	279
Healthcare Support Occupations	3	577
Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Occupations	3	394
Management Occupations	3	706
Office and Administrative Support Occupations	11	1,049
Personal Care and Service Occupations	2	223
Production Occupations	21	2,908
Sales and Related Occupations	11	1,642
Transportation and Material Moving Occupations	6	683
Unknown	9	1,944

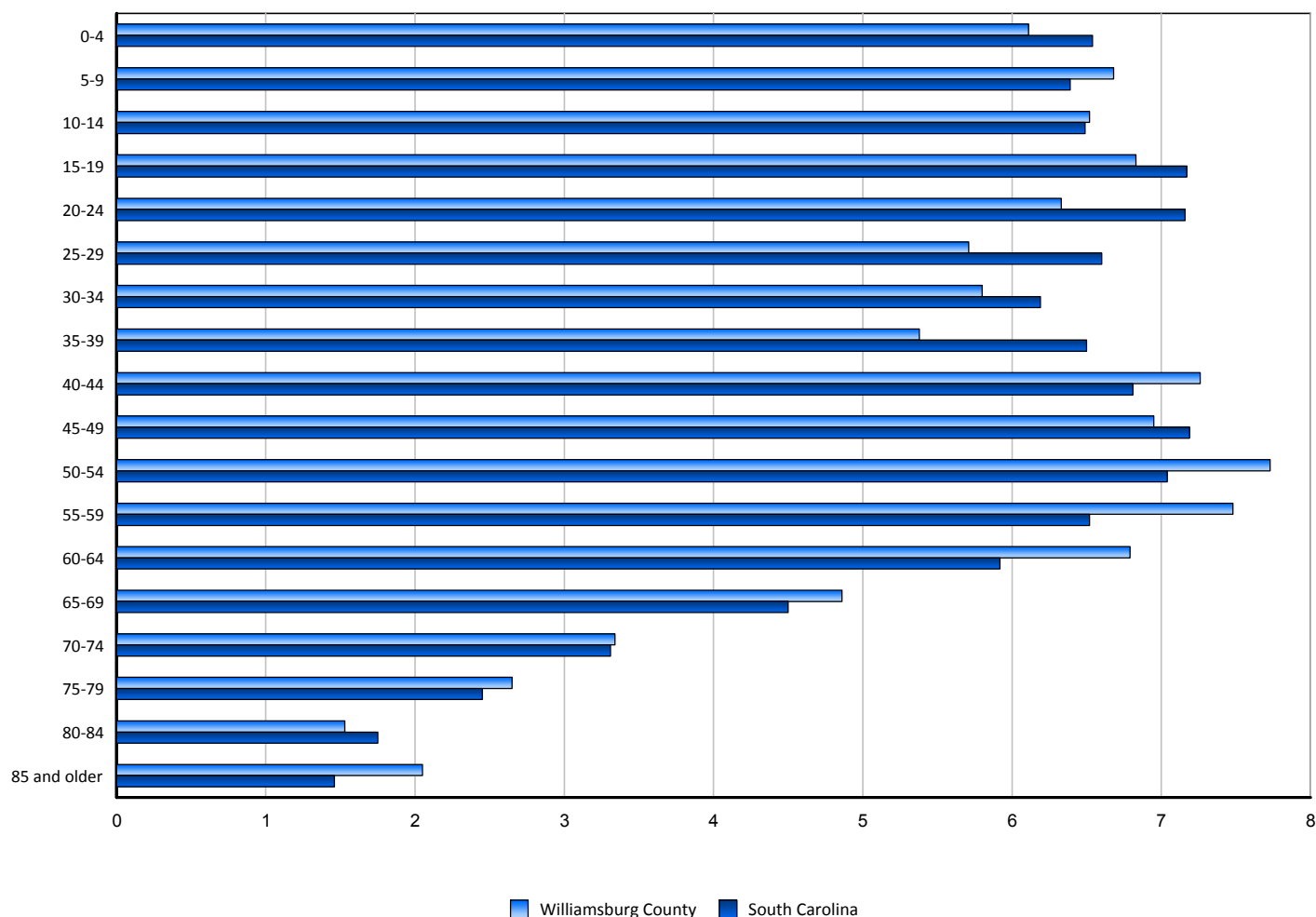
Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce

Retail Sales





## Population by Age



Age Range	Williamsburg County	South Carolina	United States
0-4	2,121	299,328	20,170,377
5-9	2,318	292,378	20,207,046
10-14	2,264	297,045	20,631,572
15-19	2,370	327,882	22,083,463
20-24	2,199	327,799	21,463,191
25-29	1,982	302,121	20,940,180
30-34	2,015	283,397	19,728,641
35-39	1,868	297,283	20,367,911
40-44	2,520	311,606	21,315,317
45-49	2,414	329,132	22,654,947
50-54	2,683	322,250	21,924,721
55-59	2,598	298,425	19,215,139
60-64	2,357	270,722	16,292,447
65-69	1,688	206,047	11,984,083
70-74	1,161	151,529	9,168,648
75-79	920	112,287	7,365,437
80-84	530	79,905	5,753,990
85 and older	711	66,728	5,336,662
<b>Total</b>	<b>34,719</b>	<b>4,575,864</b>	<b>306,603,772</b>

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey

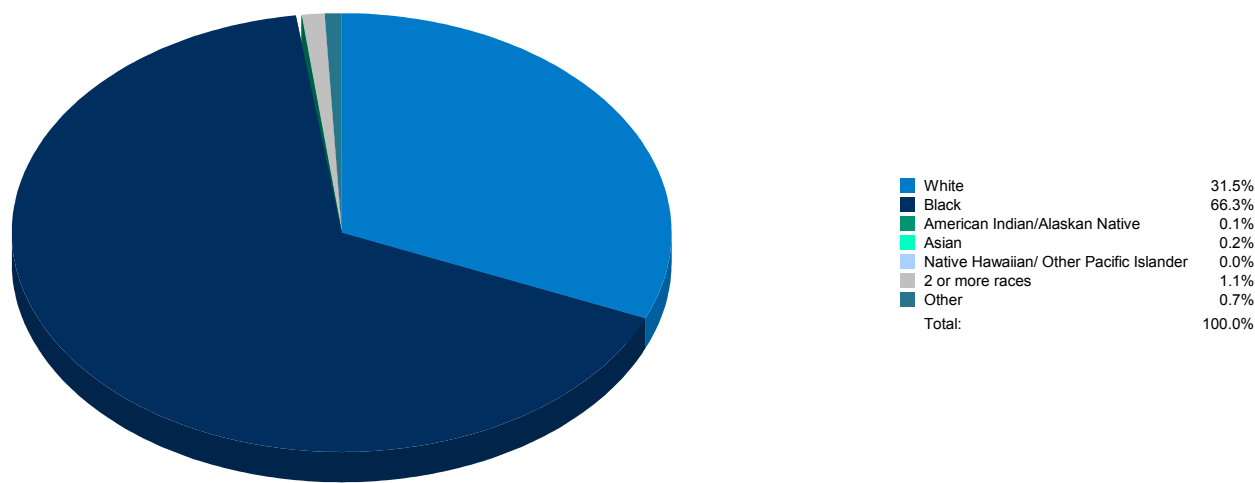
2011 5-Year Estimates

Population by Race

Race	Williamsburg County	%	South Carolina	%	United States	%
White	10,943	31.52	3,075,318	67.21	227,167,013	74.09
Black	23,036	66.35	1,281,627	28.01	38,395,857	12.52
American Indian/Alaskan Native	44	0.13	14,939	0.33	2,502,653	0.82
Asian	53	0.15	56,575	1.24	14,497,185	4.73
Native Hawaiian/ Other Pacific Islander	0	0.00	1,920	0.04	500,592	0.16
2 or more races	391	1.13	72,080	1.58	7,816,654	2.55
Other	252	0.73	73,405	1.60	15,723,818	5.13
Total	34,719		4,575,864		306,603,772	

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey

2011 5-Year Estimates



Population by Gender

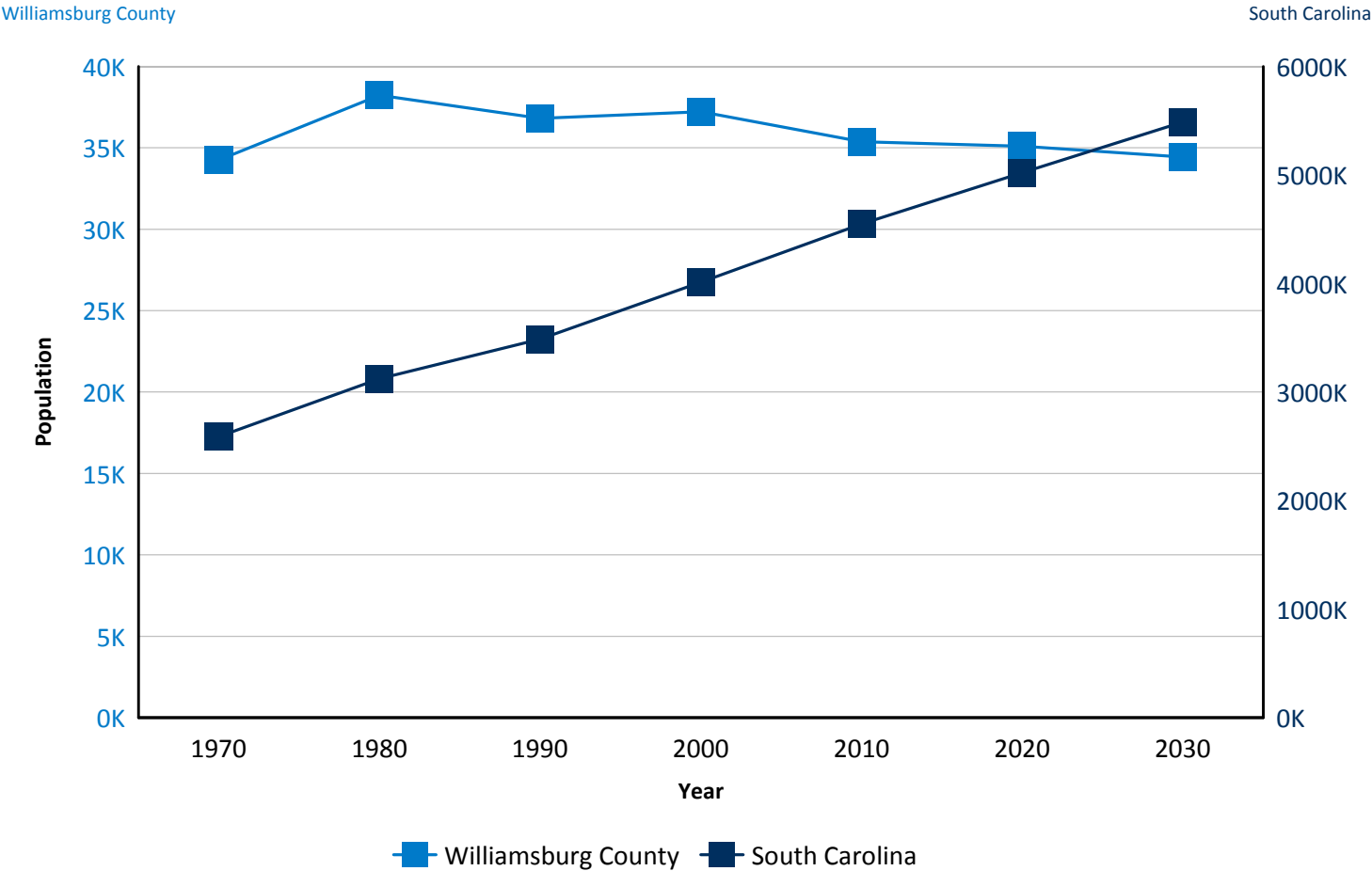
Gender	Williamsburg County	South Carolina	United States
Male	17,180	2,227,017	150,740,216
Female	17,539	2,348,847	155,863,556
Total	34,719	4,575,864	306,603,772

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey

2011 5-Year Estimates

# Population Change

Historical and Projected

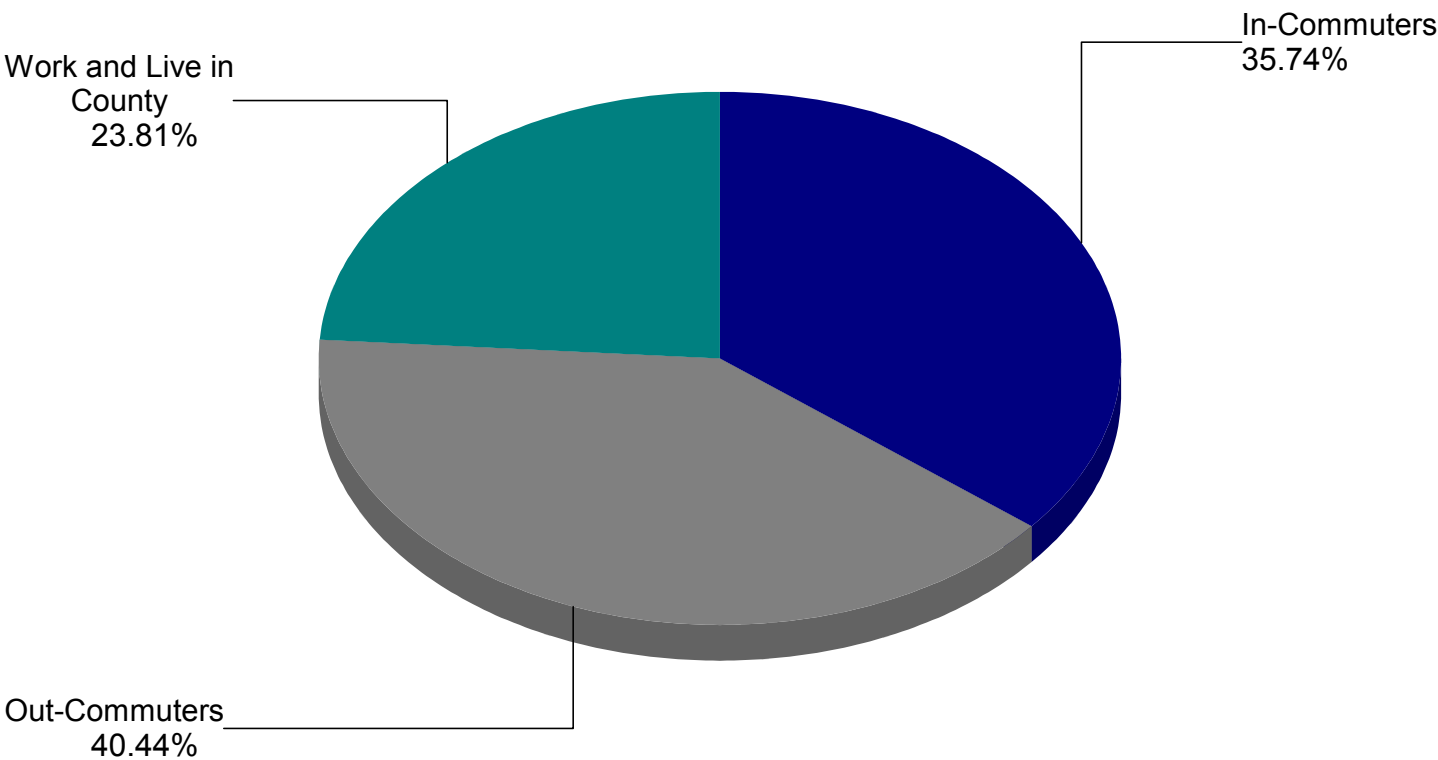


Source: U.S. Census Bureau

Year	Williamsburg County	South Carolina
1970	34,243	2,590,713
1980	38,226	3,121,820
1990	36,815	3,486,310
2000	37,217	4,012,012
2010	35,370	4,549,150
2020	35,100	5,020,400
2030	34,440	5,488,460

Source: U.S. Census Bureau

### Commuting Patterns



Source: US Census Bureau - 2010

Commuting Patterns	Workers
Work and Live in County	6,653
In-Commuters	9,986
Out-Commuters	11,298

Source: U.S. Census Bureau

2010

## Top 10 Places Residents are Commuting To

Area	Workers
Florence County, SC	1,629
Georgetown County, SC	1,529
Clarendon County, SC	412
Horry County, SC	302
Berkeley County, SC	254
Charleston County, SC	117
Dorchester County, SC	103
Sumter County, SC	62
Marion County, SC	50
EFFINGHAM COUNTY, GA	37

Source: U.S. Census Bureau

2010

## Top 10 Places Workers are Commuting From

Area	Workers
Florence County, SC	1,705
Georgetown County, SC	860
Clarendon County, SC	271
Sumter County, SC	125
Horry County, SC	119
Berkeley County, SC	111
Charleston County, SC	47
Marion County, SC	25
RUTHERFORD COUNTY, NC	22
OAKLAND COUNTY, MI	13

Source: U.S. Census Bureau

2010

## Employers by Size of Establishment

<u>Employees</u>	<u>Williamsburg County</u>	<u>South Carolina</u>
0 to 4	315	63,766
5 to 9	116	19,667
10 to 19	61	13,316
20 to 49	46	9,881
50 to 99	17	3,907
100 to 249	13	2,433
250 to 499	-	757
500 to 999	-	328
1000 +	-	264

Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce - 2012 Q3

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## Employment by Size of Establishment

<u>Employees</u>	<u>Williamsburg County</u>	<u>South Carolina</u>
0 to 4	551	103,920
5 to 9	757	130,311
10 to 19	811	180,592
20 to 49	1,352	302,334
50 to 99	1,064	269,672
100 to 249	1,928	365,041
250 to 499	-	261,862
500 to 999	-	227,263
1000 +	-	647,963

Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce - 2012 Q3

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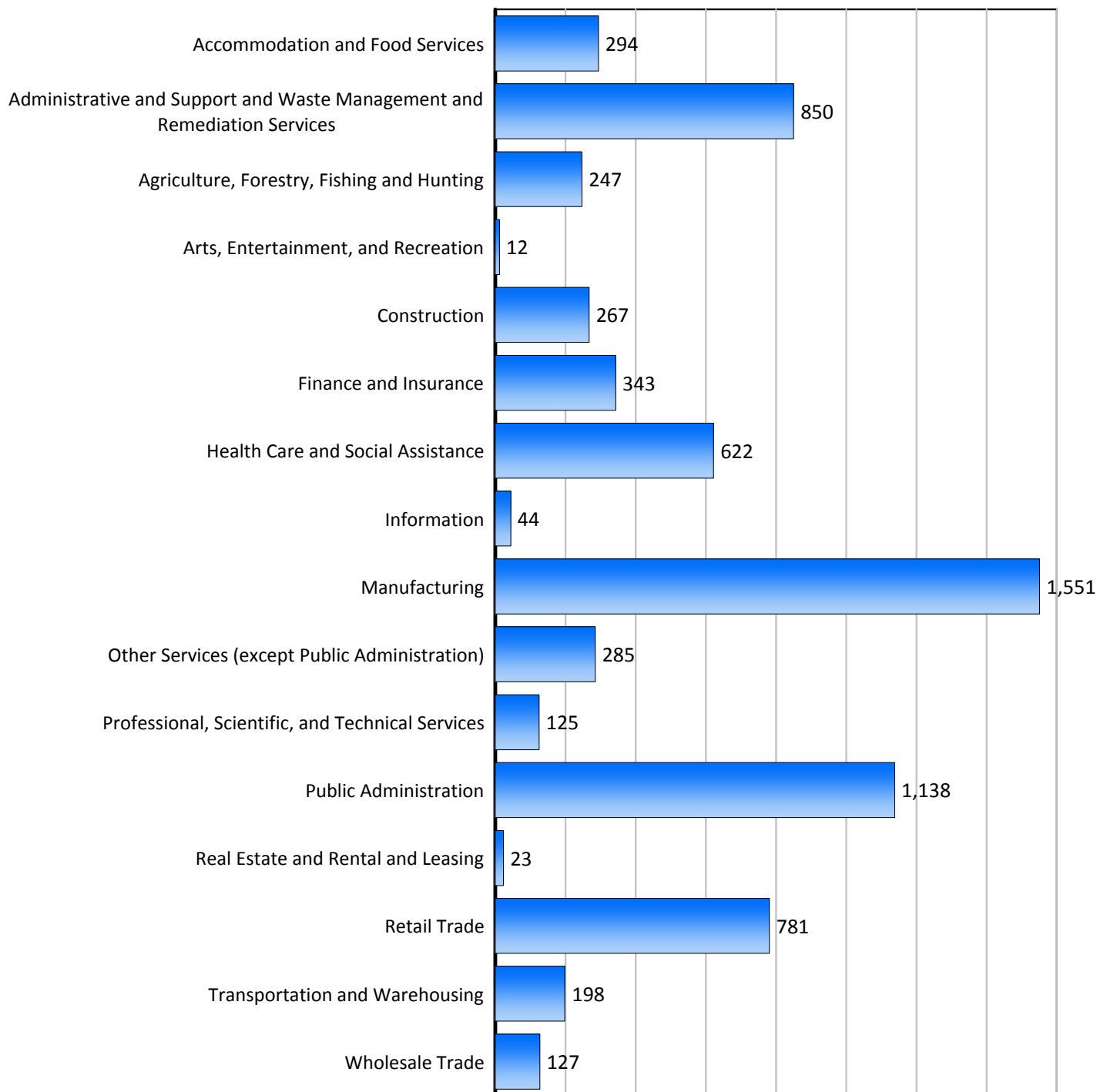
## 20 Largest Employers

*(Listed Alphabetically)*

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DSM NUTRITIONAL PRODUCTS LLC  
EMBROIDERY SOLUTIONS MANUFACTURING  
FARMERS TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE INC  
HOUSE OF RAEFORD FARMS INC  
KINGSTREE NURSING FACILITY INC.  
LANE MANUFACTURING LLC  
PALMETTO SYNTHETICS LC  
SAFE AUTO INSURANCE COMPANY INC  
SANTEE ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE INC  
SID HARVEY INDUSTRIES INC  
STAFFMARK INVESTMENTS LLC  
SYKES ENTERPRISES INC  
THREE D MACHINERY INSTALLERS LLC  
TUPPERWARE US INC  
WILLIAMSBURG COUNTY  
WILLIAMSBURG COUNTY MEMORIAL HOSPIT  
WILLIAMSBURG COUNTY SCHOOL DIST  
WILLIAMSBURG TECHNICAL COLLEGE

Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce - 2012 Q3

## Employment by Industry



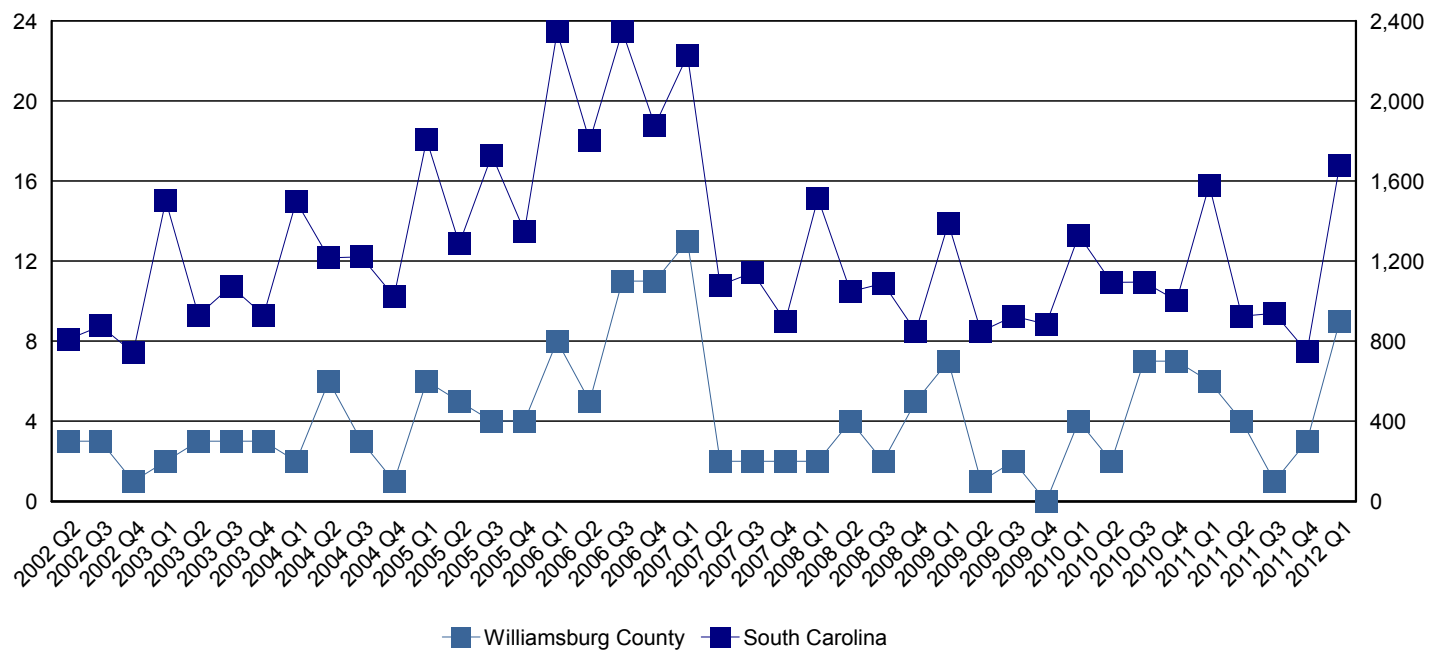
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## New Startup Firms

Williamsburg County

South Carolina

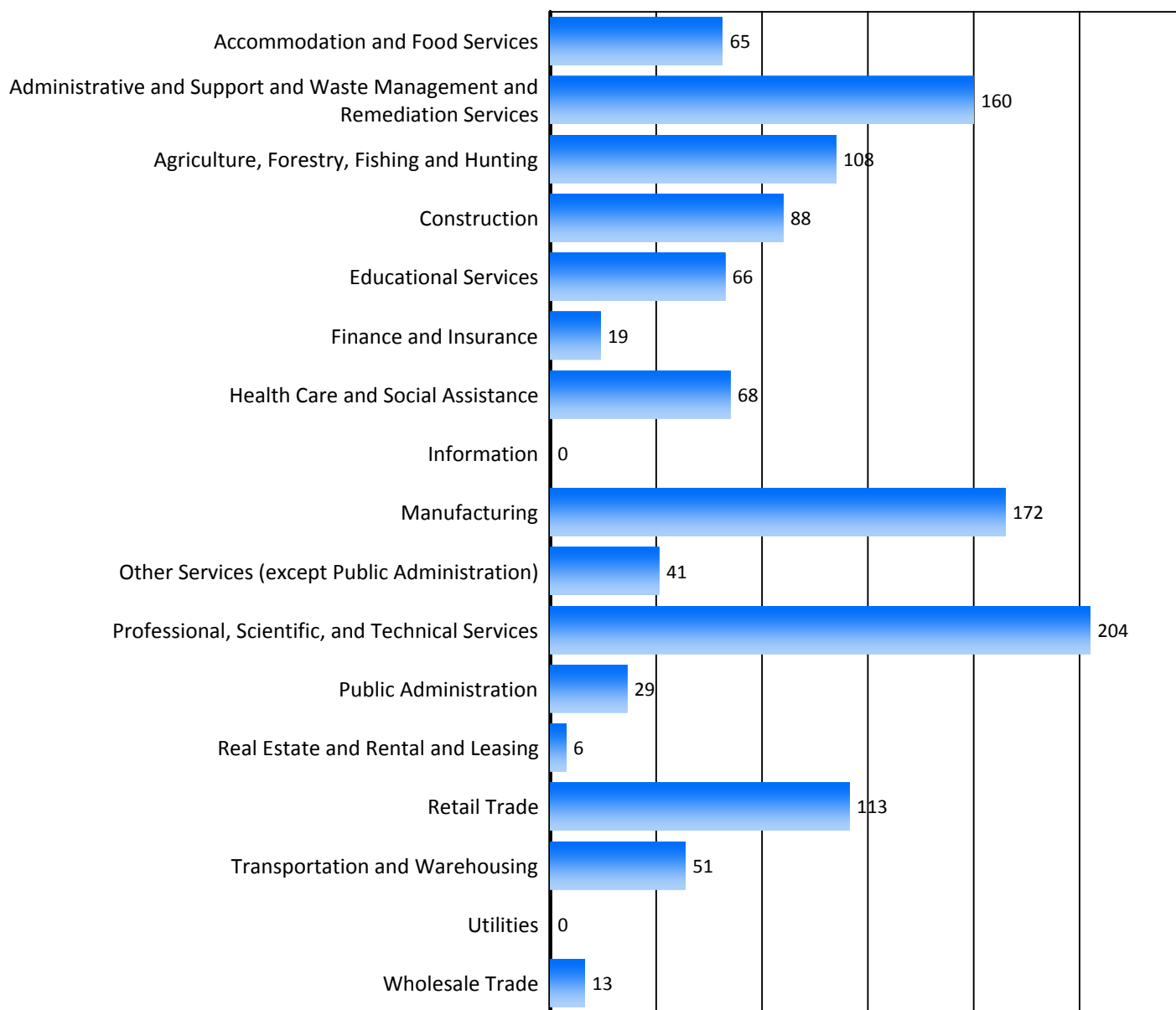


Quarter	Williamsburg County	South Carolina
2012 Q3	2	672
2012 Q2	1	740
2012 Q1	9	1,680
2011 Q4	3	747
2011 Q3	1	939
2011 Q2	4	925
2011 Q1	6	1,580
2010 Q4	7	1,003
2010 Q3	7	1,095
2010 Q2	2	1,093
2010 Q1	4	1,330
2009 Q4	0	885
2009 Q3	2	925
2009 Q2	1	848
2009 Q1	7	1,389
2008 Q4	5	849
2008 Q3	2	1,089
2008 Q2	4	1,047
2008 Q1	2	1,515
2007 Q4	2	899

Note: A firm is included in the count when it does not have a UI Account Number in the previous quarter and has a Setup Date that falls in the quarter displayed.

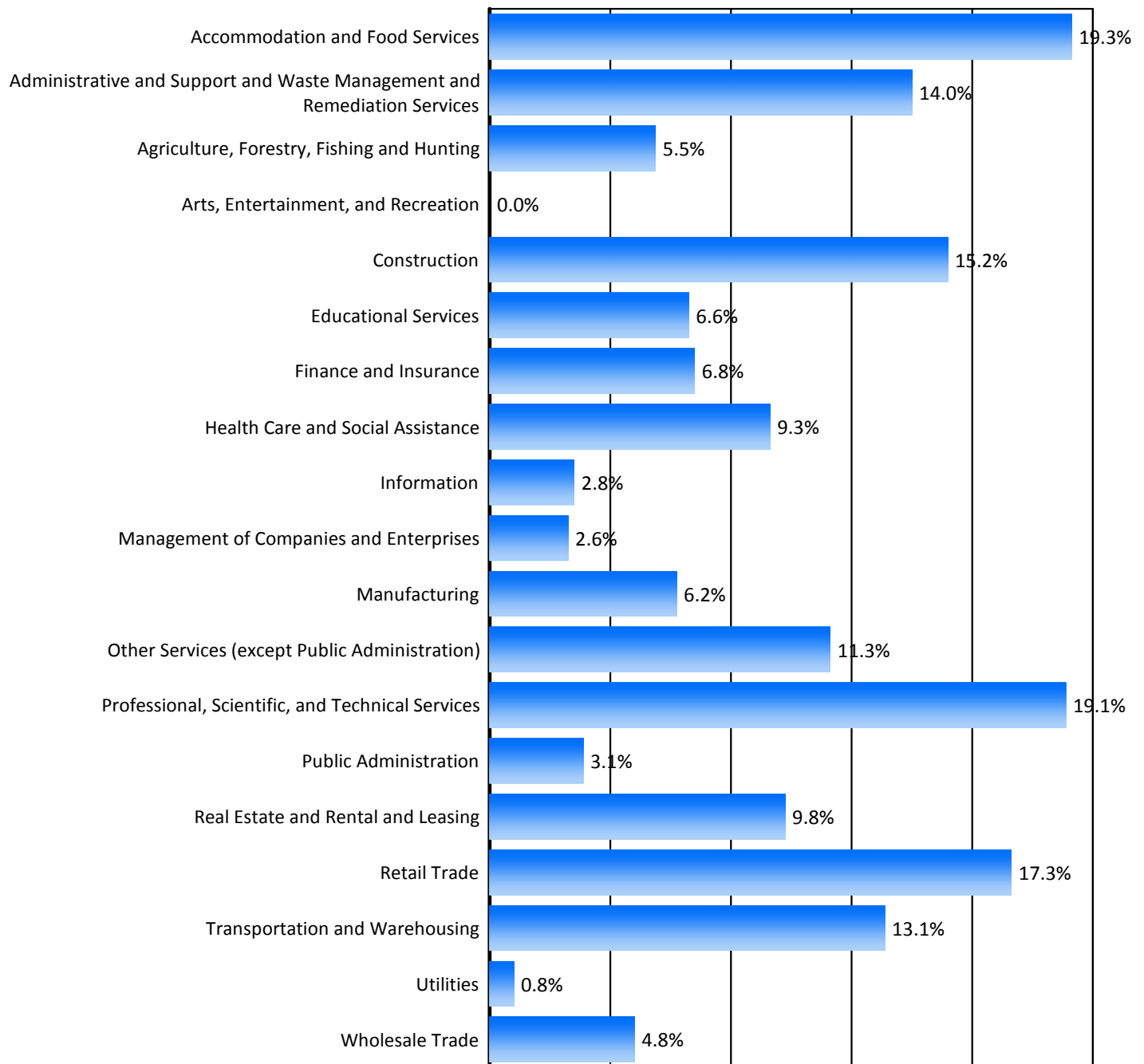
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## New Hires by Industry



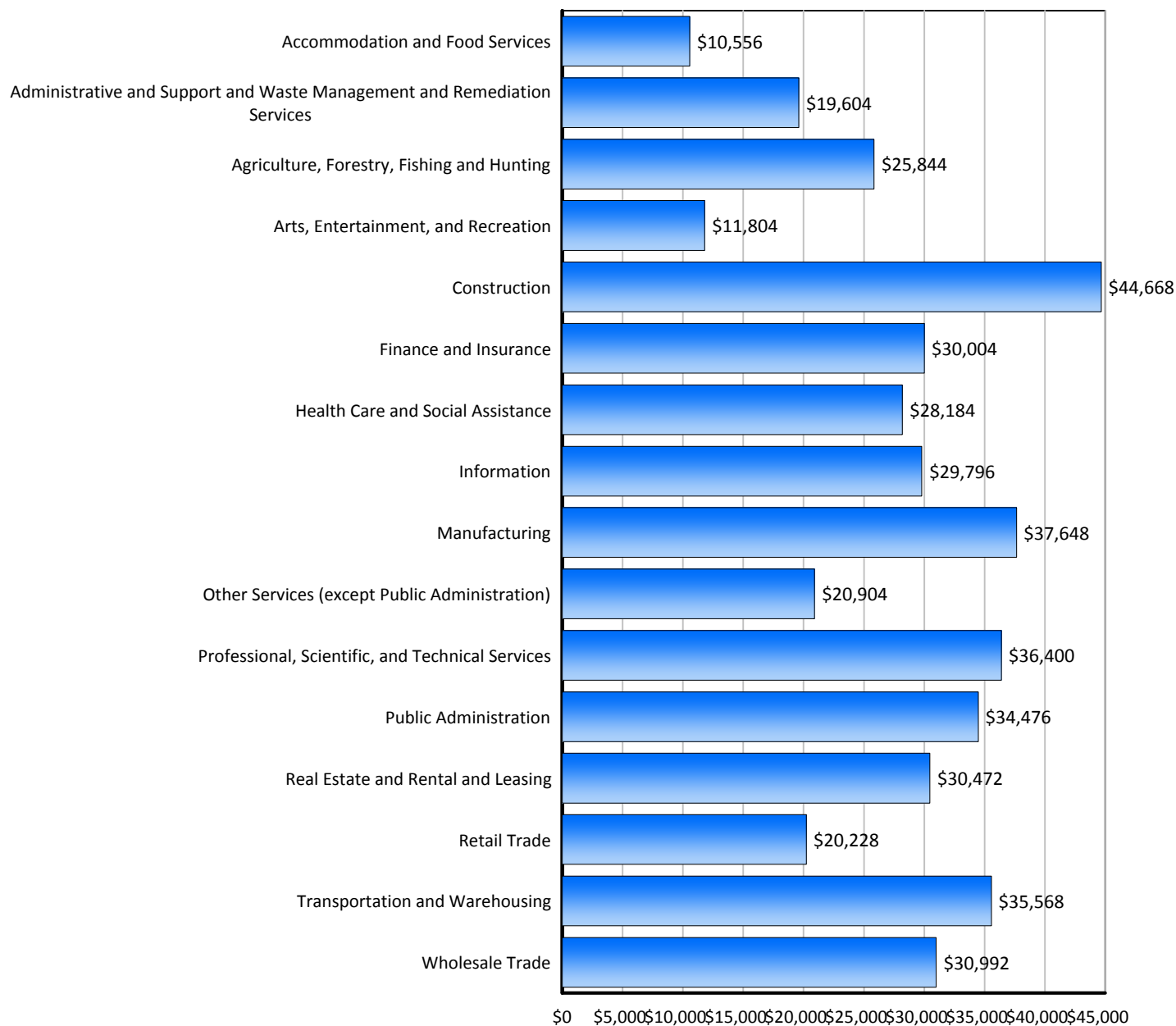
Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Local Employment Dynamics - 2011 Q3

## Turnover by Industry



Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Local Employment Dynamics - 2011 Q2

## Average Annual Wage by Industry



Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce  
 Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages - 2012 Q3

## Age of Workers by Industry

Industry	14-18	19-21	22-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+
Total, All Industries	190	558	534	1,662	1,643	1,721	1,340	371
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	13	14	15	34	50	55	51	25
Utilities	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Construction	7	12	33	119	98	77	54	12
Manufacturing	14	57	52	266	338	386	254	42
Wholesale Trade	0	3	3	25	40	41	31	14
Retail Trade	73	75	51	132	120	121	116	50
Transportation and Warehousing	0	0	12	39	53	61	44	12
Information	0	0	0	7	3	8	16	7
Finance and Insurance	0	10	21	92	84	86	77	15
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	0	0	0	6	0	6	3	3
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Servi	13	219	203	323	115	80	51	5
Management of Companies and Enterprises	0	8	3	37	77	51	40	6
Administrative and Support and Waste Manageme	5	37	30	78	71	68	31	8
Educational Services	12	8	16	109	160	223	212	33
Health Care and Social Assistance	4	21	30	164	170	146	135	43
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0
Accommodation and Food Services	21	43	21	42	35	23	15	4
Other Services (except Public Administration)	3	12	21	62	51	84	54	24
Public Administration	17	29	18	94	125	157	134	63

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Local Employment Dynamics - 2011 Q3

# Labor Market Projections

## Total Employment by Industry

(County Data Unavailable)

Note: Projections are available by Workforce Investment Area (WIA). The data displayed is selected from the appropriate WIA.

Waccamaw	2008	2018			
Industry	Estimated Employment	Projected Employment	Change	Percent Change	Annual Percent Change
Total Employment, All Jobs	167,109.00	189,599.00	22,490.00	13.46	1.27
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	2,601.00	2,157.00	-444.00	-17.07	-1.85
Mining	112.00	102.00	-10.00	-8.93	-0.93
Utilities	501.00	512.00	11.00	2.20	0.22
Construction	11,045.00	12,834.00	1,789.00	16.20	1.51
Manufacturing	8,761.00	8,601.00	-160.00	-1.83	-0.18
Wholesale Trade	3,183.00	3,564.00	381.00	11.97	1.14
Retail Trade	24,989.00	29,082.00	4,093.00	16.38	1.53
Transportation and Warehousing	1,789.00	1,887.00	98.00	5.48	0.53
Information	1,973.00	2,082.00	109.00	5.52	0.54
Finance and Insurance	3,874.00	4,113.00	239.00	6.17	0.60
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	5,669.00	6,372.00	703.00	12.40	1.18
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	4,138.00	5,173.00	1,035.00	25.01	2.26
Management of Companies and Enterprises	756.00	919.00	163.00	21.56	1.97
Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediat	7,619.00	8,984.00	1,365.00	17.92	1.66
Educational Services	10,145.00	11,847.00	1,702.00	16.78	1.56
Health Care and Social Assistance	13,052.00	15,890.00	2,838.00	21.74	1.99
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	6,731.00	7,684.00	953.00	14.16	1.33
Accommodation and Food Services	31,772.00	36,160.00	4,388.00	13.81	1.30
Other Services (Except Government)	5,755.00	6,494.00	739.00	12.84	1.22
Government	8,839.00	10,050.00	1,211.00	13.70	1.29

Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce  
Industry Projections

# Labor Market Projections

*Total Employment by Occupation*

*(County Data Unavailable)*

Note: Projections are available by Workforce Investment Area (WIA). The data displayed is selected from the appropriate WIA.

Waccamaw	2008	2018			
Occupation	<u>Estimated Employment</u>	<u>Projected Employment</u>	<u>Annual Openings</u>	<u>Openings (Replace)</u>	<u>Openings (Growth)</u>
Architecture and Engineering Occupations	1,295	1,396	42	27	15
Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, and Media Occ	2,382	2,723	94	58	36
Building & Grounds Cleaning & Maintenance Occup.	12,976	14,518	365	211	154
Business and Financial Operations Occupations	3,562	4,341	144	66	78
Community and Social Services Occupations	1,029	1,205	41	23	18
Computer and Mathematical Occupations	901	1,050	33	18	15
Construction and Extraction Occupations	10,141	11,467	308	175	133
Education, Training, and Library Occupations	6,347	7,572	270	147	123
Farming, Fishing, and Forestry Occupations	2,093	1,822	57	56	1
Food Preparation and Serving Related Occupations	24,012	27,120	1,211	900	311
Healthcare Practitioners and Technical Occupations	6,503	8,007	284	134	150
Healthcare Support Occupations	2,669	3,265	91	31	60
Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Occupations	7,507	8,606	260	148	112
Legal Occupations	1,092	1,254	33	17	16
Life, Physical, and Social Science Occupations	640	787	33	18	15
Management Occupations	7,787	8,385	249	178	71
Office and Administrative Support Occupations	22,076	24,572	741	476	265
Personal Care and Service Occupations	6,220	7,569	330	195	135
Production Occupations	8,811	9,227	240	170	70
Protective Service Occupations	4,290	5,046	197	121	76
Sales and Related Occupations	26,574	31,003	1,226	774	452
Total, All Occupations	167,109	189,599	6,494	4,138	2,356
Transportation and Material Moving Occupations	8,202	8,664	247	195	52

Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce  
Occupational Projections

# Labor Market Projections

*Growing Occupations*

*(County Data Unavailable)*

Note: Projections are available by Workforce Investment Area (WIA). The data displayed is selected from the appropriate WIA.

Waccamaw	2008	2018	Openings				
<u>Occupation</u>	<u>Estimated Employment</u>	<u>Projected Employment</u>	<u>Percent Change</u>	<u>Replace</u>	<u>Growth</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Average Salary</u>
Pharmacy Technicians	408	586	44	10	18	28	\$26,733
Personal and Home Care Aides	709	1,019	44	9	31	40	\$20,963
Self-Enrichment Education Teachers	155	216	39	2	6	8	\$28,814
Environmental Engineers	51	70	37	1	2	3	\$76,651
Heating, Air Conditioning, and Refrigeration Mecha	618	836	35	10	22	32	\$35,395
Management Analysts	187	250	34	3	6	9	\$92,501
Compliance Officers, Except Agriculture, Construct	172	229	33	2	6	8	\$44,227
Instructional Coordinators	147	193	31	3	5	8	\$54,015
Surgical Technologists	160	210	31	4	5	9	\$35,405
Veterinary Technologists and Technicians	42	55	31	1	1	2	\$25,971
Coaches and Scouts	267	346	30	5	8	13	\$35,124
Captains, Mates, and Pilots of Water Vessels	47	61	30	2	1	3	\$35,450
Social and Human Service Assistants	161	207	29	3	5	8	\$31,403
Fitness Trainers and Aerobics Instructors	149	191	28	3	4	7	\$25,263
Helpers--Electricians	406	516	27	9	11	20	\$26,296
Hotel, Motel, and Resort Desk Clerks	1,375	1,745	27	47	37	84	\$20,411
Police, Fire, and Ambulance Dispatchers	150	190	27	3	4	7	\$30,734
Public Relations Specialists	256	325	27	6	7	13	\$41,914
Cardiovascular Technologists and Technicians	44	56	27	1	1	2	\$46,544
Veterinarians	39	49	26	1	1	2	\$145,048

Occupations are sorted by highest estimated percentage growth from estimate year to projection year.

Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce  
Occupational Projections



# Labor Market Projections

## Declining Occupations

(County Data Unavailable)

Note: Projections are available by Workforce Investment Area (WIA). The data displayed is selected from the appropriate WIA.

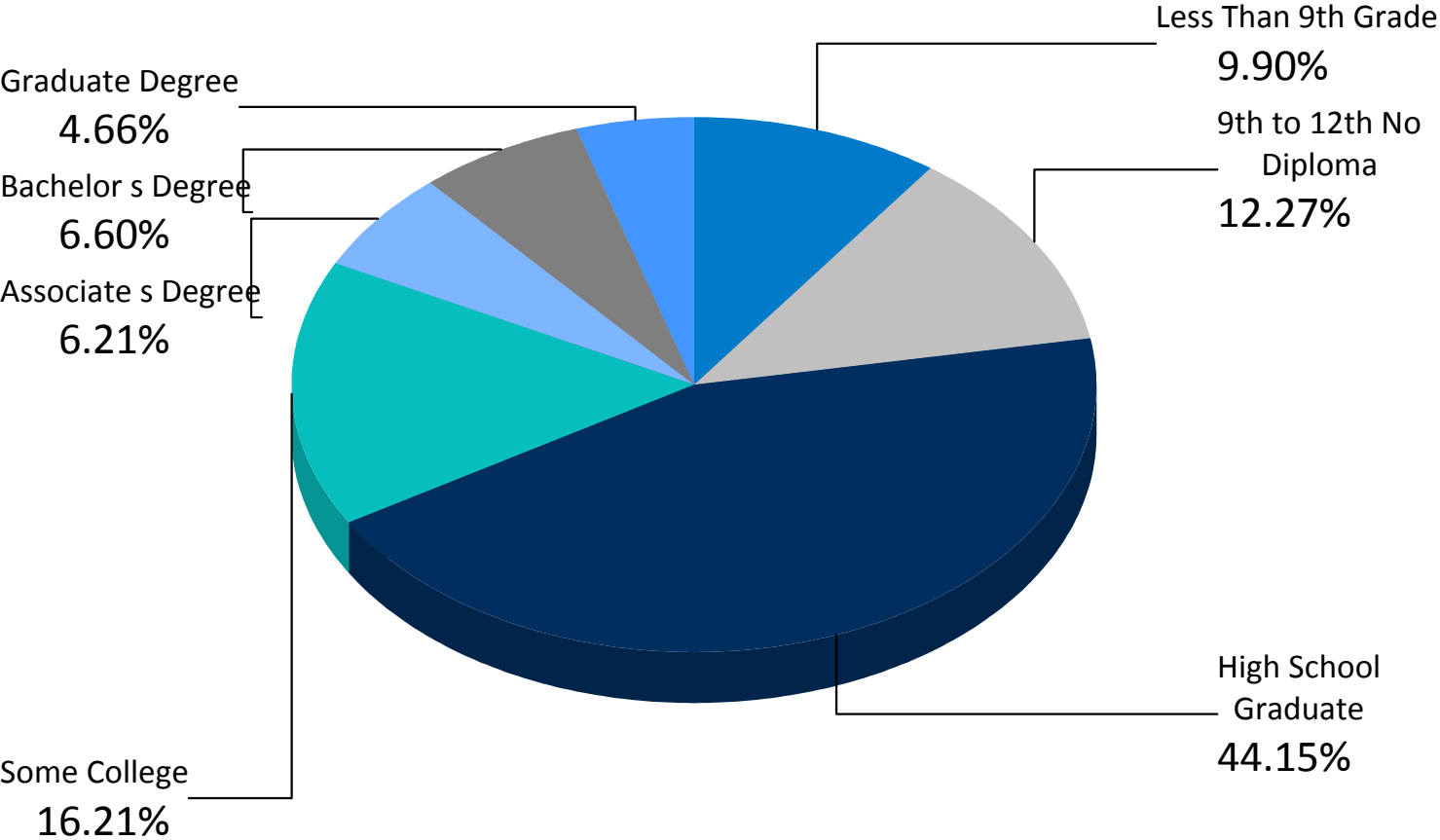
Waccamaw	2008	2018	Openings				
Occupation	Estimated Employment	Projected Employment	Percent Change	Replace	Growth	Total	Average Salary
Weighers, Measurers, Checkers, and Samplers	45	29	-36	2	0	2	\$33,012
Textile Cutting Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders	22	14	-36	0	0	0	\$23,864
Machine Feeders and Offbearers	112	78	-30	1	0	1	\$21,806
Computer Operators	35	25	-29	0	0	0	\$28,029
Order Clerks	117	84	-28	3	0	3	\$30,617
File Clerks	68	52	-24	2	0	2	\$22,887
Sewing Machine Operators	378	310	-18	2	0	2	\$19,115
Farmworkers & Laborers, Crop, Nursery & Stock	1,230	1,044	-15	33	0	33	\$21,055
Meter Readers, Utilities	105	95	-10	3	0	3	\$33,236
Aircraft Mechanics and Service Technicians	51	47	-8	1	0	1	\$38,351
Helpers--Production Workers	290	267	-8	5	0	5	\$21,797
Postal Service Clerks	86	80	-7	2	0	2	\$52,624
Telemarketers	239	222	-7	6	0	6	\$22,420
Reporters and Correspondents	45	42	-7	1	0	1	\$32,091
Mail Clerks and Mail Machine Operators, Except Post Office	47	44	-6	1	0	1	\$24,592
Human Resources Assistants, Except Payroll	168	159	-5	5	0	5	\$36,333
Postmasters and Mail Superintendents	20	19	-5	0	0	0	\$73,604
Cutting, Punching, and Press Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders	129	122	-5	3	0	3	\$33,338
Pressers, Textile, Garment, and Related Materials	69	66	-4	0	0	0	\$18,517
Packers and Packagers, Hand	378	361	-4	6	0	6	\$18,928

Occupations are sorted by highest estimated percentage decline from estimate year to projection year.

Source: S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce  
Occupational Projections

# Educational Attainment

(Population 25 Years and Older)



Less Than 9th Grade	9.90%
9th to 12th No Diploma	12.27%
High School Graduate	44.15%
Some College	16.21%
Associate's Degree	6.21%
Bachelor's Degree	6.60%
Graduate Degree	4.66%
Total:	100.00%

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey  
2011 5-Year Estimates

# Graduate Trends

*(Based on Graduates from Area Schools)*

No Data Available

# Educational Institutions

Williamsburg Technical College  
601 Martin Luther King Jr Ave  
Kingstree, SC 29556  
843.355.4110  
<http://www.wiltech.edu>

2011	Degrees Awarded:	181
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Source: Institute of Education Sciences (IES), Integrated Postsecondary Education Data System